Accident of Repalle-Secunderabad Passenger Train

2043. SHRI BEKAL UTSAHI : Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that 5 persons were killed and 26 others injured when the Repalle-Secunderabad Passenger train collided with a goods train near Tipparthy railway station on South Central Railway on 30th September, 1991;

(b) if so, what was the cause of the accident; and

(c) the actual loss of life and property sustained thereby ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MALLIKARJUN): (a) to (c) A collision took place between a loaded wagon and the 352 Repalle-Secunderabad Passenger Train at Thiparthi station of South Central Railway on 30-91991. As a consequence, 4 persons were killed and another 50 got injured. Loss to railway property has been assessed at Rs. 36.20 lakh approximately. Commissioner of Railway Safety, South Central Circle, Secunderabad is inquiring into this accident.

दक्षिण पूर्वी रेलवे जोन का विभाजन

2044. **श्री राजूभाई ए० परमार** : क्या **रेल** मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या सरकार बिलासपुर को मुख्यालय बनाकर दक्षिण-पूर्व रेलवे जोन को दो भागों में विभाजित करने के किसी प्रस्ताव पर विचार कर रही है; और

(ख) यदि हां, तो तत्संबंधी ब्यौरा

रेल मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री मल्लिकार्जुन) : (क) जी नहीं।

(ख) प्रश्न नहीं उठता।

12.00 NOON

[**The Deputy Chairman** in the Chair]

PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE

Notification of the Ministry of Environment and Forest (Department of Environment, Forests and Wildlife

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI KAMAL NATH) : Madam, I lay on the Table, under sub-section (3) of section 23 of the Public Liability Insurance Act, 1991, a copy (in English and Hindi) of the Ministry of Environment and Forests (Department of Environment, Forests and Wildlife) Notification G.S.R. No. 596(E), dated the 20th September, 1991, publishing the Public Liability Insurance (Amendment) Rules, 1991, [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT—1003/91].

डा० रत्नाकर पाण्डेय (उत्तर प्रदेश) मैडम, . . .

उपसभापति : पेपर जब लेड किये जा रहे हों, तो कृपया बैठ जायें। Let the business go on. Please don't make a habit of speaking before the Papers are laid I won't allow anyone.

Notifications of the Minstry of Home Affairs

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHR M. M. JACOB) : Madam, I lay on the Table following papers :—

I. A copy (in English and Hindi) of the Ministry of Home Affairs, Notification G.S.R. No. 163, dated the 16th March, 1991, publishing the Central Reserve Police Force (Medical